

## FEAR LYNCHING.

Col. King Hurried Off to the Penitentiary at Nashville.

Public Feeling at Memphis Aroused at the Action of the Governor.

Poston's Friends Swear Vengeance and Pursue the Sheriff With His Prisoner—If They Are Overtaken No Mercy Will Be Shown Toward King.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 11.—The intense public feeling because of Gov. Buchanan's action assumed shape here Wednesday evening when a mass-meeting was called for 11 o'clock when Gov. Buchanan would be hung in effigy, but at this hour, 10:30 p. m., the rain is coming down in torrents, and the meeting will doubtless be postponed.

Great anxiety was felt late Wednesday afternoon lest the indignant populace take King from the jail and lynch him. In consequence of this late in the afternoon Criminal Court Judge J. J. Dubois issued the following order:

"It appearing to the court that there is now undue excitement in the public mind because of the commutation of the sentence of H. Clay King, who was by the supreme court sentenced to hang on the 12th day of August, 1892, and it further appearing that because of the threatened mob violence it is not safe to longer keep said King in the county jail of Shelby county, it is therefore ordered by the court that the sheriff of Shelby county, without delay take said King and deliver him to the keeper of the penitentiary at Nashville, in pursuance to the order as made by the governor commutating his sentence to life imprisonment in the penitentiary of the state."

Pursuant to orders, sheriff McLinden spirited King from the jail Wednesday evening and boarded a C. and O. train for Nashville. The officer is a one-legged man and unaccompanied, and since King's son is with the prisoner there are some fears of an attempted escape. The L. and N. train leaves this city at 10:50 p. m., and connects with the train carrying the prisoner, his son and the sheriff at McKenzie at 3 o'clock a. m.

Great excitement is prevailing at 11 p. m., as the report that Poston's friends boarded the L. and N. train at 10:50 and will secure the prisoner is spreading through the city like wild-fire.

If this be true, and there are many tangible reasons for believing that it is, another tragedy is inevitable, and the murder of Poston will be avenged by the mob.

After 11 o'clock, when the rain subsided, a crowd of people assembled at the corner of Main and Madison streets, the most central part in the city, and, after hanging an effigy of Gov. Buchanan to a telegraph pole, set the dummy afire and watched it burn. There was no speaking indulged in.

### NOVEL VEHICLE.

A Wagon Driven Through the Streets of Chicago With Electricity as the Motive Power.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—A novelty in the way of a wagon propelled by electricity was seen on the streets here. Some time ago President J. B. McDonald, of the American Battery Co., purchased several patents from William Morrison, of Des Moines. Among other things was a park wagon equipped with a small three-horse power motor and a twenty-four-cell storage battery. Mr. McDonald fitted the wagon with new batteries, and gave it a trial. With five persons in the wagon, it left the barn on Monroe street and traveled by the way of Winchester avenue to Jackson boulevard, to La Salle street, to the company's office at Monroe and La Salle. The run was made in twenty-two minutes, which was considered satisfactory, considering that the wagon was delayed at a bridge, and that frequent stops were made on account of the crowds in the streets down town. The peculiarly propelled carriage attracted attention all along its route. It is calculated that the wagon can make ten miles an hour easily with the present motor, and can climb any hill in Chicago.

### HURLED INTO A FURNACE.

The Frightful Way in Which a St. Louis Mob Treated an Ex-Convict.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 11.—Wednesday night at the repair shops of the St. Louis and Suburban Electric road, "Sooty" Morris, an ex-convict and generally tough citizen, and Fred Dubois, a fellow-workman, became involved in a serious dispute over their respective nationalities and the merits of their particular female friends. A crowd of over a dozen of Dubois' friends rushed at Morris, throwing chisels, hammers, etc., and crying, "Lynch him." "Kill him!" Seizing the now thoroughly frightened ex-convict they threw him on an open forge, which was heated to white heat. Just as this was done a squad of policemen, who had been hurriedly sent for, arrived and rescued the victim, but not before he was fatally burned. With all his strength he resisted the efforts of the officers to place him in an ambulance, believing he was to be put under arrest instead of taken to the hospital. Several of his assailants were arrested.

### Window Glass Sealed Settled.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 11.—The window glass scale is settled, and all of the factories will start up either September 24 or October 1. The wage committee of manufacturers and workers met Wednesday afternoon and adopted last year's scale, with a few slight changes. The manufacturers will meet in Columbus, O., next week to decide when a start will be made.

### Steam Yacht Sunk.

MARINE CITY, Mich., Aug. 11.—A party of four came to Marine City on the steam yacht Joker, and on their return they collided with the Susquehanna. Charles Worden, aged 23, was drowned. He lived at Wallaceburg, where his father is United States consul. The rest of the party was saved.

## LATEST NEWS FROM MARS.

A Whole Continent of Snow Melts Away—Dark Spots of Great Size Seen by Harvard's Observer at Arequipa, Peru.

New York, Aug. 11.—Prof. Pickering, of the Harvard observatory at Arequipa, Peru, cables as follows:

"In my observation of Mars I have seen two large areas near the equator which are permanently blue. Near the edges they appear light blue. The light is slightly polarized. The total size of the area is about 500,000 square miles, one half the size of the Mediterranean sea. On June 23 a small dark spot appeared in the southern snow cap. Later this spot lengthened rapidly, and early in July it was 1,000 miles long, dividing the snow in half. Sixteen hundred thousand square miles of snow have melted within the last thirty days. The melted snow has apparently been transferred to the seas across land. Small dark areas, surrounded by snow, appeared on July 10, and two days later I first saw a dark line in the fork of a Y shaped mark in the direction of the seas. The line became more conspicuous on July 14, and on the 16th a dark area, about the size of Lake Erie, appeared on the northern side of the stem of the Y, which was connected with the northern sea. The next day there appeared a large dark-gray area near the northern sea, this had grown much fainter by July 23, and a new area appeared to the south of the northern sea, concealing its outline. The line in the fork of the Y had extended. On July 24 a large dark area, apparently either a lake or sea, appeared near the melting snow, and on July 25 the southern branch of the Y became very narrow. The outlines of the northern sea were seen again, a narrow white line stretching north from the snow. Many other changes are noted. Rapidly changing faint whitish areas were seen. Green areas near the poles have not been seen for many weeks, but traces were recently suspected, and a bright green area was distinctly seen near the north pole last night."

### COOKS STRIKE.

Seventy-Two of Them Leave the Carnegie Kitchens at Homestead.

HOMESTEAD, Pa., Aug. 11.—Seventy-two cooks and waiters employed by the Carnegie Co. struck Wednesday evening, and left their kitchens in a procession. The strikers were lustily cheered as they left their place of employment. The trouble grew out of an agreement the company made several weeks ago for meals for 500 men with J. A. Rayborn, against whom Superintendent Potter decided Wednesday, whereupon Rayborn threw up his contract. While making up his accounts he was arrested by Carnegie's special officer and locked in a small brick building. The cooks, learning that their employer was out, stopped work. Rayborn drew \$1,224 and paid off the men after he was released. The help then left amid cheering. Rayborn subsequently had Carnegie's special officer arrested. Wednesday the strikers were jubilant over the turn of affairs. Gabriel Mosley, a cook, who was assaulted in a Wylie-street restaurant in Pittsburgh Wednesday afternoon, died at 9:30 at night. His assailant, Edwin McAllen, has not been caught. News reached here that 600 miners at the Monongahela coal and coke works, at Wheeling, had quit work.

### BULLION TRAIN ROBBED.

Three of the Guards Killed and All the Treasure Taken Away.

DURANGO, Mex., Aug. 11.—The mail courier from Mazatlan has arrived here, bringing information of a bold and successful robbery committed by a band of brigands near Culiacan, in the Sinaloa. The train of ten burros was on the way from the Yedras mines to Culiacan, loaded with \$50,000 worth of silver sulphides in boxes for export. It was guarded by twenty men, who were attacked in camp four nights ago by the bandits, who numbered about fifteen men. Three of the guards were killed, and the others were overpowered and bound hand and foot. They were left in that condition by the brigands, who drove the mules with their precious loads into the deep recesses of the Sierra Madre mountains. A company of government troops has gone in pursuit of the robbers.

### BATTLE IN HONDURAS.

The American Consul's Residence at Ceiba Attacked and Several Innocent Persons Killed.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 11.—Letters from Honduras reports a big battle in the interior, some say at Botijas, others at Danil, between the government and revolutionary forces. The latter were defeated and retreated toward Nicaragua. At Ceiba no notice was given of the intended bombardment and several innocent persons were killed. The residence and office of the American consul, Tocca, were riddled with bullets, two men being shot on the premises. The Stars and Stripes were floating before and during the bombardment. The residence of the agent of the Oteri (American) line also had the American flag flying; but that, as well as the residences of the French and Spanish residents, was badly wrecked by the bombardment.

### Georgia Democratic Nominations.

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 11.—In the Georgia democratic convention Gov. W. J. Northen was renominated by acclamation. Gen. Phil Cook, secretary of state, was also renominated by acclamation, as were Mr. W. A. Wright, comptroller general, and R. U. Hardman, for state treasurer. The vote for attorney general was J. M. Terrell, 225; W. C. Glenn, 86. R. T. Nesbitt was renominated for commissioner of agriculture, with practically no opposition.

### Stars and Stripes Torn Down in Canada.

PORT STANLEY, Ont., Aug. 11.—A stars and stripes which with a union jack was unfurled near here by a party of campers from Youngstown, O., was hauled down during Tuesday night by some ultra-loyal citizens and torn to pieces.

## CONDENSED NEWS.

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

Smallpox has disappeared from British Columbia ports.

The Chicago Salvation army has gone into camp at Lake Bluff.

A child named Triddle, at Moorfield, W. Va., was nearly dead when its parents discovered a cat sucking its breath.

George A. Leach, well known in newspaper circles in New York, died at his residence in Harlem Wednesday morning of Bright's disease of the kidneys.

At Depere, Wis., the three-hundred-barrel Merchant flour mill, owned by John P. Dorsman, burned Wednesday morning. Loss, \$50,000; insurance, \$15,000.

The quarantine regulations against British Columbia ports were raised at Port Townsend Wednesday, the smallpox having almost entirely disappeared.

At the Driving park, Knoxville, Tenn., Wednesday Mame Marantett's high-jumping pony broke the world's record by going four feet eight and a half inches.

John Showacre, of St. Mary's, W. Va., was cleaning a well, and let down a lighted lamp to see. There was an explosion and Showacre and a boy were badly injured.

John Orvis, socialist labor candidate for governor of Massachusetts, has declined the nomination owing to ill health and lack of unity among the friends of labor.

Andrew Oglesby, a colored deputy sheriff, was shot and killed in a suburb of Memphis, Tenn., by Gus Ayers, colored, whom he was trying to arrest for wife beating.

Wednesday morning Mrs. Jane Nelson, the venerable wife of Dr. A. Nelson and mother of Prof. E. T. Nelson, president of the state board of health, died at her home in Delaware, O.

Henry B. Rider, the United States consul at Copenhagen who is under arrest charged with having misappropriated the sum of 300,000 kroner, has confessed that he is guilty of embezzlement.

The London Standard's St. Petersburg correspondent says: Samaria is a province which has been officially noted as having the best harvest, nevertheless it has applied for a loan of 20,000 roubles for the purpose of procuring seed.

The treasurer of the World's fair Wednesday received a bid of \$4,000,000 for the \$2,500,000 in souvenir half dollars voted by congress. The bid is Leo T. Alton, of Chicago. Bids of \$150 for the first of the souvenir coins minted have also been made.

Gov. McKinley granted a pardon to Charles Martin, who was received at the penitentiary from Cuyahoga county in September, 1890, to serve four years for grand larceny. Martin is dying of consumption, and the pardon is to enable him to breathe his last at home.

At Lima Wednesday afternoon, while holding a bunch of bananas, Dave Decker was stung by a tarantula. His hand began swelling immediately and strong antidotes were employed. Medical attention is, in all probability, all that saved his life. He suffered excruciating pain, and is not yet considered out of danger.

## THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 11.

FLOUR—Winter patent, \$4.30; fancy, \$4.75; 4.00; family, \$2.65; extra, \$2.25; low grade, \$1.75; 10; spring patent, \$4.40; 4.75; spring fancy, \$2.90; 3.20; spring family, \$2.35; 3.50. Rye flour, \$4.10; 4.35.

WHEAT—The market was steady and demand fair. No. 2 red quotable at 75¢; 75½¢, and No. 3 red at 72½¢.

CORN—No. 2 white, scarce, offered at 55¢; at the close No. 2 mixed 53¢; No. 3 corn was slow and easy at 53½¢; for prime to choice samples.

OATS—No. 2 white, scarce and held at 37¢ for good samples. No. 2 mixed quotable at 34¢; 35¢, according to quality. The market was firm and the demand good.

RYE—The market was firm with light offerings of car lots. No. 2 had buyers at 65¢; 66¢ and sellers held for 67¢. No. 3 quotable at 60¢; 61¢.

CATTLE—Shippers: Good to choice, \$4.25; 4.50; common to fair, \$3.00; 3.25. Oxen: Good to choice, \$3.25; 3.75; common to fair, \$2.75; 3.00; select butcher, \$4.00; 4.25; fair to good, \$3.00; 3.25; common, \$1.75; 2.25. Heifers: Good to choice heavy, \$3.00; 3.25; good to choice light, \$2.00; 2.25; common to fair, \$1.50; 1.75.

HOGS—Select heavy and prime butcher, \$5.50; 5.75; fair to good packing, \$4.00; 4.25; common and rough, \$3.75; 3.50; fair to good light, \$3.40; 3.60; fat pigs, \$5.25; 5.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep—Wethers and yearlings, \$4.75; 4.25; best ewes, \$4.25; 4.75; common to fair mixed, \$3.00; 3.25; stock ewes \$3.00; 3.25; extra, \$4.30; Lamb—Best shippers, \$6.00; 6.50; fair to good, \$5.75; 6.25; coarse and heavy, \$4.50; 5.00; butchers, \$4.00; 4.50; culls \$3.00; 3.75.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.

WHEAT—Firm and quiet; September, 84¢; December, 87¢; May, 92¢.

RYE—Dull and steady; western, 73¢; 75¢.

CORN—Steady and dull; September, 58¢; October, 58¢; western, 59¢; 60¢.

CATTLE—Market same as yesterday; prospects lower; prime \$4.00; 4.50; fair to good, \$3.50; 4.00; common, \$2.75; 3.00; bulls, cows and stags, \$2.00; 2.25; fresh cows, \$2.40. Four cars of cattle shipped to New York.

HOGS—Market steady; Philadelphia, \$4.00; 4.10; Yorkers \$3.75; 3.80; grassers, \$4.00; 4.10. SHEEP—Market unchanged; prime, \$5.25; 5.50; fair to good, \$4.00; 4.25; common, \$3.00; 3.25; lambs, \$4.00; 4.25; veal calves, \$4.00; 4.25.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 11.

WHEAT—Steady; No. 2 red spot and August, 84¢; September, 84¢; October, 82¢.

CORN—Dull; mixed spot and August, 57¢; September, 54¢; October, 54¢.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white western, 42¢; No. 2 mixed western, 38¢.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.

FLOUR AND GRAIN—Cash quotations—Flour firm and unchanged; No. 3 spring wheat, 78¢; No. 3 spring wheat, 74¢; No. 2 red, 78¢; No. 2 corn, 53¢; 53½¢; No. 2 oats, 33¢; 34¢; No. 2 white, 36¢; No. 3 white, 36¢; 36½¢; No. 2 rye, 64¢; No. 2 barley, 52¢; No. 3, no sales; No. 4, 40¢; 40½¢; No. 1 flaxseed, \$1.03.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 11.

WHEAT—Barely steady; No. 3 red in export elevator, 78½¢; No. 2 red spot in do 81½¢; No. 2 red August, 81½¢; 82½¢.

CORN—Market steady; Philadelphia, \$4.00; 4.10; Yorkers \$3.75; 3.80; grassers, \$4.00; 4.10. SHEEP—Market unchanged; prime, \$5.25; 5.50; fair to good, \$4.00; 4.25; common, \$3.00; 3.25; lambs, \$4.00; 4.25; veal calves, \$4.00; 4.25.

TOLEDO, O., Aug. 11.

WHEAT—Active and easier; No. 2 cash, 80¢; August, 80¢; September and December, 80½¢. CORN—Quiet; No. 2 cash, 56¢; No. 3 yellow, 53¢.

OATS—Dull; cash, 34½¢.

RYE—Quiet; cash, 64¢.

CLOVER SEED—Higher; prime cash, \$7.00 and nominal; October, \$6.25.

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